

# National Weather Service Tampa Bay Area, Florida



### The 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of SKYWARN Recognition Day Saturday December 7, 2019 8 AM - 7 PM

The Tampa Bay National Weather Service office in Ruskin will be participating in SKYWARN Recognition Day this year. We will be operating Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> between 8 am and 7 pm.

SKYWARN Recognition Day was developed in 1999 by the National Weather Service and the American Radio Relay League to celebrate the contributions that volunteer SKYWARN radio operators make to the NWS mission, the protection of life and property. During the event SKYWARN operators visit NWS office and contact other stations across the nation and world.

All amateur radio operators are invited to drop in and help us made contact with as many other stations as possible. If you have any question please contact; Daniel Noah/WX4DAN at <a href="mailto:Daniel.noah@noaa.gov">Daniel.noah@noaa.gov</a> or (813) 645-2323 x223 or

Rudy/KE4EXL at richard.rude@noaa.gov or (813) 645-2323 X329.

#### Links with additional information:

https://www.weather.gov/crh/skywarnrecognition

http://www.arrl.org/news-features
http://www.weather.gov/tbw/wx4tor

#### Our address:

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Operating modes for SKYWARN Recognition Day at NWS Tampa Bay Area:

- SSB on 40 and 20 meters as conditions permit.
- FM on 2 meters (144 MHz) and 70 centimeters (420 MHz) using the NI4CE repeater system.
- EchoLink at call sign WX4TOR.
- Social Media Twitter
   Tweet #skywarn19